Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER COTH-P01-518 Filing Date Examiner Application No. AUG 1 2 2004 10/092750 March 7, 2002 Karen A. Canella oplicant(s): Hammond et al. Invention: POLYPEPTIDES INTERACTIVE WITH BCL-XL TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Extra Claims After Previously Amendment Paid Present Rate **Total Claims** 30 17 0 Independent 3 0 8 х **Claims** Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: Large Entity x Small Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. 18-1945 X Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 18-1945 X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: August 10, 2004

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.